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ADM CLEMINS, GEN MYERS, LTG STEELE, LTGEN HOWELL, LT GEN GAMBLE,

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EPIC GEN SCHWARTZ, AND BG BYRNES FROM PRUEHER //N00000//

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SUBJ/COUNTERPART VISIT TO USPACOM BY LTG WU QUANXU, DEPUTY CHIEF OF  
THE GENERAL STAFF DEPARTMENT, PLA (U)//

UNKS/1. (U) SECDEF COHEN AND SHALI, WE HOSTED MY DESIGNATED CHINESE  
PLA COUNTERPART LTG WU QUANXU, DEPUTY CHIEF OF THE GENERAL STAFF, AND  
NINE OTHER FLAG AND SENIOR OFFICERS, 08-17 JUL 97. VISIT BEGAN IN  
HAWAII WITH USCINCPAC AND COMPONENTS. VADM BENNITT, VADM BROWN AND  
LT GEN FULFORD EXPOSED THE DELEGATION TO 3RD FLEET, I MEF TRAINING  
CENTERS, AND SHIP OPERATIONS IN SOCIAL OPAREA AND SAN DIEGO.

LT GEN GAMBLE WRAPPED UP THE VISIT BY SHOWING THE WU DELEGATION  
TRAINING ACTIVITIES AND FACILITIES IN ALASKA.

(U) IMPRESSIONS AND OBSERVATIONS: LTG WU IS AN INFORMED,  
ENGAGED, AND PERSONABLE FLAG OFFICER WHO WILL LIKELY CONTINUE TO BE A

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INSTABILITY E.G., KOREAN PENINSULA, POTENTIAL FOR MILITARY  
RESURGENCE OF JAPAN. OUTDATED YET EXPANDING BILATERAL SECURITY  
AGREEMENTS

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E. (U) WE QUOTED JIANG ZEMIN'S "THREE PRINCIPLES OF SINO-U.S.  
RELATIONS" (FIRST TIME WE HAD HEARD THESE): KEEP IN MIND COMMON  
INTERESTS; LOOK INTO NEXT CENTURY WITH STRATEGIC PERSPECTIVE; AND  
GUIDE BY THREE JOINT COMMUNIQUE.

F. (U) LTC WE OPINED THAT LACK OF SIGNIFICANT DOWNSIZING OF  
FORCES IN PACIFIC FROM THE JDR INDICATED FUTURE SECURITY FOCUS OF  
S. WAS ASIA-PACIFIC REGION.

(U) DELEGATION'S INTERESTS:

A. (U) ASKED QUESTIONS TO CLARIFY DELINEATION IN  
RESPONSIBILITIES BETWEEN MILITARY DEPARTMENTS, UNIFIED COMMANDERS,  
SUB-UNIFIED COMMANDERS AND JTF COMMANDERS.

B. (U) INTERESTED IN RESPONSIBILITIES FOR DEVELOPMENT OF  
TACTICAL AND TRAINING DOCTRINE.

C. (U) SHOWED KEEN INTEREST IN SOPHISTICATION OF TECHNOLOGY AND  
SIMULATIONS, PARTICULARLY WITH REGARD TO TRAINING, COMMAND AND  
CONTROL, AND ELECTRONIC WARFARE. ASKED SPECIFIC QUESTIONS ABOUT  
PLANNING, COORDINATING, CONDUCTING EW AND ABILITY TO HIDE FORCES OR  
MIMIC NON-EXISTING FORCES. STATED EW WOULD BE VERY IMPORTANT IN

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FUTURE WARS

D. (U) DELEGATES AGAIN SEEMED AMAZED AT QUALITY, EDUCATION,  
EXPERIENCE, AND RESPONSIBILITY OF NCOS. EXPRESSED KEEN INTEREST IN  
JCO EDUCATION SYSTEMS OF ALL SERVICES.

E. (U) IMPRESSED WITH ROLE OF CIVILIANS IN MILITARY. APPEARED  
TO APPRECIATE CONTINUITY THEY PROVIDE OUR UNITS, SCHOOLS, STAFFS.

(U) OVERALL THIS VISIT SUCCESSFULLY FURTHERED RELATIONSHIP  
BETWEEN U.S. MILITARY AND PLA. BOTH SIDES HAD OPPORTUNITY TO  
EXCHANGE VIEWS, IMPROVE COMMUNICATIONS, AND DEVELOP PERSONAL  
RELATIONSHIPS THAT SHOULD PROVE USEFUL IN FUTURE.

(U) MY BEST AND VERY RESPECTFULLY, JOE.//

BY/MAJGEN E.B. HAILSTON, USMC, J5, USCINCPAC//

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